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HOUSE RESOLUTION

2 WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois House of
3 Representatives wish to recognize the 27th Annual Black & Gold
4 Scholarship Gala presented by the Theta Mu Lambda Charitable
5 Foundation, a not-for-profit entity of the Theta Mu Lambda
6 Chapter - Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity Incorporated; and

7 WHEREAS, This event raises funds in order to continue
8 providing educational resources and scholarships for young
9 African American students to expand their scholastic
10 opportunities; and

11 WHEREAS, Alpha Phi Alpha firmly believes in creating
12 resources, leadership skills, and tools for youth to realize
13 their full potential and is dedicated to building a foundation
14 for the educational and personal development of future leaders;
15 and

16 WHEREAS, This year's program theme is "Celebrating
17 Service, Awareness, and Leadership"; four community leaders
18 will be honored with the Impact Award for their work with youth
19 and four young people will be honored with the Rising Star
20 Award; and

21 WHEREAS, The gala will be held on November 12, 2016 at the

1 Tinley Park Convention Center; therefore, be it

2 RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE
3 NINETY-NINTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we
4 recognize the 27th Annual Black & Gold Scholarship Gala and we
5 wish them many more years of success; and be it further

6 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
7 presented to the Theta Mu Lambda Charitable Foundation as an
8 expression of our esteem and respect.